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Re: U.S. Patent Application No. 09/911,811
Inventors: Gelfer, Hetzer, Dr. Keunecke, Schlaaff
Docket No.: P01,0236
Our Ref.: 3179-US

Dear Mr. Gelfer,

For the above patent application we send you a copy of the application -specification, claims, drawings- together with the Declaration and Assignment and ask you, to sign the Declaration and Assignment. Please send the sign Declaration and Assignment to our office or to the office of our patent attorney Schiff Hardin & Waite, 6600 Sears Tower, Chicago, Illinois 60606-6473/USA until

September 16, 2002.

The Assignment should sign in the presence of a notary.

In the sake of good order we inform you that this letter is a „final“ letter we will send to you and if we receive the signed Declaration and Assignment not until September 16, 2002 than Francotyp-Postalia will interpret this as a refusal on the part of you to sign the Declaration.

We hope that we or Schiff Hardin & Waite still receive the signed documents and remain

yours faithfully,

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